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COMPOUND COPOLYMER

AMENDMENT AND REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

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SIR:

In response to the Office Action dated January 13, 2004, please amend the above-
identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begins on page 2 of this response.

Support for the Amendments begins on page 5 of this response.

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